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LIONEL HART EXONERATES LEGISLATORS

Hart Trying Hard To Help Police and To Drag In Others WANTS TO TESTIFY AGAINST THEM

Lionel Hart is working overtime in the cause of the prosecution in the Standard Oil Co. case. While he realizes that he will have to take his own medicine he is now devoting his energies in an attempt to bring the others whom he says are connected with him in the destruction and falsification of the kerosene orders belonging to the Government before the courts also, and with this end in view he will take no steps in his own cases without first consulting District Attorney Breckons, so that he may be sure that nothing that he does in regard to his own cases may hamper the prosecution of the others.

While Hart was yesterday committed to the Circuit Court on the charge against him of malicious burning in the second degree, he appeared before Judge Andrade this morning to enter his plea to the charge of destroying Government records.

"I want to know if my plea in this case will have any influence on the other cases," said Hart when he was asked to make his plea. "I had expected to see Mr. Breckons yesterday but he did not show up, but I expect to see him today. I want to talk over all the cases with him before I make my plea in this case."

The consequence was that a continuance of the matter was granted until tomorrow morning. In the meantime Hart will consult Breckons to find out how he shall act.

As was indicated by Hart in his remarks to the court yesterday, when he said that while he was guilty of the destruction of the records, he was not the only person concerned therein. Hart is anxious that his alleged accomplice shall suffer the punishment provided by law as well as himself. He realizes that while he admits his guilt, the entering of a plea of guilty would prevent a trial of the case, and he would lose his chance of giving before the court his testimony by which he could show up those who, he says, helped him commit the crime.

If, on the other hand, he enters a plea of not guilty, he will be able to take the stand and under oath accuse his accomplice. It is about this matter that Hart wishes to consult Breckons in order that the prosecution may be assisted as much as possible in its attempt to implicate others besides himself.

Hart is now no longer kept in custody at the police station. Yesterday after he had been committed to the Circuit Court on the malicious burning charge he was taken to the Oahu Prison, where he will be held until his trial.

Machinery Here For Lime Co.

The company which was organized some time ago for the purpose of developing some large beds of lime which are to be found on certain government lands at Waianae, on which it holds a lease, is getting ready to start in business. The Sierra, which arrived yesterday, brought in her cargo the machinery necessary for the treatment of the lime which is taken from the beds.

This kiln is to be erected at Iwilei, close to the U. S. Quartermaster Department's corral, and the lime will be shipped by train from Waianae to this place to be prepared for the market. Among those interested in the company are Frank Winter, Willard E. Brown, Jack Belser, W. W. Harris and others. Davies & Co. are the agents.

Keawe, a Hawaiian, appeared before Judge Andrade this morning on a charge of assault with a weapon. A lauan on School street last Saturday night he attacked a man by the name of Koo with a chair. He broke his arm and inflicted several severe bruises on his head. The injured man is now at the Japanese hospital. The case against Keawe was continued.

SHOOTING GALLERY FOR GUARDSMEN Will Be Built By U.S. Government On Beretania St.

Plans have been prepared and are now in the office of the Superintendent of Public Works for the erection of a shooting gallery for the men of the National Guard. The building is to be put up on Beretania street, just back of the drill shed, and will be paid for by the United States Government. The money for it is now in one of the local banks, and bids will be called for within a short time.

The object of the gallery is to enable the men to practice shooting at times when it is impossible or inconvenient for them to go onto the Kakaako range.

In this gallery either the regular rifle can be used, with a reduced charge, or the 1903 model Springfield target rifle. This rifle is almost the same as the larger caliber gun, except that it uses only a 22-caliber bullet.

Col. Jones stated this morning that on the 800-yard range at Camp Perry the Hawaiian team was beaten by only two others. The Massachusetts and New York teams each made 497 at this range, while the Hawaiian team made 496, being beaten by only one point. It was at skirmish shooting and the 1000-yard range that the local boys fell down.

HILLO WHARF TALK

Hilo, Sept. 17.—An informal meeting of citizens of Hilo yesterday decided on the tenor of the petition to be addressed to Governor Frear regarding the cutting of the Hilo wharf from the Loan Bill. After discussion it was decided that the appended should be the petition which within the next few days will be presented for signature to leading citizens.

A large number of prominent people have already signified their intention of signing the petition just so soon as it is prepared and it is expected that the signed petition will reach the Governor before he starts for Washington.

The petition runs thus: To the Honorable W. F. Frear, Governor of the Territory of Hawaii, U. S. A.

Sir:—We, the undersigned, respectfully beg to draw your attention to the matter of the Government wharf at Hilo.

The wharf in its present condition is practically unproductive, as it can not be used for the loading or unloading of vessels.

With this fact in view, the Legislature of Hawaii, after many years of agitation, appropriated a sum of \$20,000 for the extension and repair of the Hilo wharf.

Your Honor has deemed it advisable to cut from the loan bill the one item concerning this wharf, and we, the undersigned, feel sure that a closer examination of the facts and existing conditions will cause your Honor to

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The above statement was made by Lionel Hart when he was asked by the police if he knew anything about unfair means having been used by the Standard Oil Co. at the last session of the Legislature for the purpose of securing the passage of the bill allowing business concerns handling oil to keep it in warehouses of their own instead of being compelled to store it in the government warehouse. Hart's answer is certainly conclusive, and there is no reason to believe that he is hiding anything. His whole attitude has of late been that of a person anxious to see that his old associates in the service of the company land in trouble as well as himself.

Geo. A. Davis has been retained as Hart's attorney. He appeared in the Police Court this morning after the case had been continued, and told the court that he wanted to have an order issued preventing the police from pestering his client. He did not want him subjected to the third degree or any other kind of a degree. The court assured him that Hart would not be unduly tampered with.

Breckons this afternoon had a very short conversation with Hart. It is understood that Hart will tomorrow ask for a continuance for two weeks, and that the prosecution will agree to this as they wish to have further time in which to complete their case.

SUGAR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—Beets: 88 analysis, 10s. Parity 4.11 cents. Previous quotation 8s. 11 1/4d.

A steamship company plying between this port and Honolulu will soon have a new, fast and commodious ship on the route. We, the undersigned, are informed that she can not dock at the present Government wharf, nor at the so-called Railroad wharf, with any assurance of safety.

Representatives of this company state that they would be forced to land freight and passengers by lighters, a method which would be both inconvenient and burdensome, and not compatible with the extent and importance of the shipping of the port.

The undersigned have further been informed that a lease of this wharf property has recently been refused to the company hereinbefore referred to.

The undersigned have been informed that your Honor bases your refusal of compliance with the wish of the Legislature on the ground that the United States Government will possibly build a breakwater in Hilo bay, but would particularly point out that, even if such breakwater should be built, as is sincerely hoped, a Government wharf would remain a necessity.

With the above in view, the undersigned would, with all respect, ask your Honor to review the situation regarding the extension of the Hilo Government wharf, or to reconsider the proposition—if such has been made in definite form—for a lease to a steamship company plying between this port and Honolulu.

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GOVERNOR WRITES LETTER TO HILLO Explains Why He Will Not Spend \$20,000 On Wharf

Governor Frear has received from Hilo the petition of the Hiloites in regard to the expenditure of \$20,000 on the Government wharf at that place and this morning he wrote a six-page letter in reply.

The people of Hilo don't understand the situation at all, the Governor says. They think that the \$20,000 appropriated by the Legislature was to repair as well as extend the wharf, whereas the real and only purpose of the appropriation was to extend the wharf in accordance with the plans of the Inter-Island.

The Governor intimates that for some years there has been a guessing contest going on in Hilo as to the direction of the current in the harbor. The Inter-Island had the first guess when the Government wharf was built, and the wharf was set in accordance with that guess.

Then the railroad wharf was built in accordance with another and different guess as to the direction of the flow of the current.

Now the Inter-Island wants to have another guess, and its guess this time is about the same as that of the railroad wharf people. They want a couple of knobs stuck on the end of the wharf so that their vessels can lie in the direction in which they now guess that the current flows. This guess the Governor says, is practically the same as the guess of the railroad wharf people.

But the Governor can see no use in allowing them a third guess. If the extension should be built, it would be necessary for the Government to dump about \$25,000 on the wharf to make the rest of it of any use. And as there will be no current in the harbor after the breakwater is built, and it will make no difference in what direction the wharf extends, he does not intend to allow any \$20,000 to be expended in tacking knobs onto the end of the present Government wharf.

The presence of all the Supervisors at the Kinan wharf this forenoon was rather unusual. The absence of Chairman Hustace was noticed and the gathering of the father of Oahu County puzzled all those who saw them there. There must have been something on the string, but no one was able to make out.

THE SPOILERS

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West Virginia Sends Message 850 Miles

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—The flagship West Virginia of Admiral Dayton's cruiser fleet, communicated with the local wireless station while 850 miles off port. The fleet will arrive here Friday.

HEARST NOT IN IT

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—William Randolph Hearst has issued a denial that he will be a candidate for the Presidency.

Says Ford Paid It

(Associated Press Special Cable)
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—Ex-Supervisor Lonergan testified today that Attorney T. L. Ford of the United Railroads paid him \$4000 to vote for the trolley ordinance favorable to the railroad.

Jury For Borah

(Associated Press Special Cable)
BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 24.—The jury for the trial of Senator Borah for defrauding the Government is complete.

Pierce Resigned

(Associated Press Special Cable)
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—W. E. Pierce, manager of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, has resigned.

"For Rent" cards on sale at the Bulletin office.

Railroad Informer Protected

(Associated Press Special Cable)
CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—Judge Landis has been advised by Attorney General Bonaparte that he directs that the practice of immunity given the Alton railway officials for information given in the Standard Oil case, be kept.

Wu Minister

(Associated Press Special Cable)
PEKING, Sept. 24.—Wu Ting Fang has been gazetted as Chinese Minister to Washington.

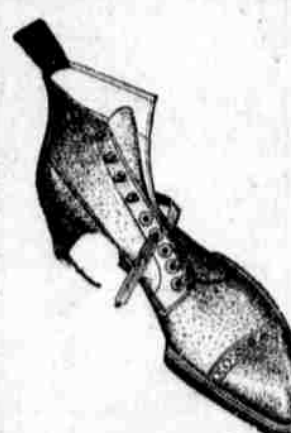
The Supreme Court this morning upheld the contention of the Hawaiian Trust Co., administrator of the estate of Genevieve Dowsett Dunbar, that it had the right to exchange certain numbers of shares of the Raymond Ranch Co. stock for earlier numbers of the same share issue. This contention had been opposed by the Henry Waterhouse Trust Co.

It is reported that the Ministerial Association will ask Rev. W. M. Kawanawa, a member of the Hawaii Board of Supervisors, to resign from the ministry, as otherwise charges of drunkenness will be preferred against him.

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